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RESPONSE

This responds to the Restriction Requirement mailed October 13, 2005. The undersigned would like thank Examiner Dooley for taking the time to discuss this matter on October 24, 2005. The Examiner considers Figure 4 distinct from Figure 3, because Figure 4 has an adhesive coating securing the slatwall sections to the supporting surface. The Examiner considers Figure 5 distinct from Figures 2 and 6, because Figure 5 shows an external spacer without an offset portion.

Applicant elects Figure 3 and sub-species (Figures 2 and 6), with traverse. Claims 1-5 and 7-20 are believed readable on the elected species.

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